IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: Hisatoshi HIROTA et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 January 7, 2009

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated August 11, 2008 for two months from November 11, 2008 to January 11, 2009.

The amount of \$490.00 for the cost of the extension of time is being paid via electronic credit card payment. If any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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